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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please insert the following paragraph before the section entitled "BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION" on page 1 of the Specification:

This application claims priority from European Patent Application No. 3252182.5, entitled "LITHOGRAPHIC APPARATUS AND DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD," and filed April 7, 2003.